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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF
MAY 15, 2006

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of May 15, 2006, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.